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| Masakazu OGASAWARA |) | Confirmation No.: 4674 |
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| Application No.: 10/594,532 |) | Group Art Unit: 2872 |
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| For: HOLOGRAM RECORD CARRIER, |) | |
| HOLOGRAM APPARATUS AND |) | |
| RECORDING METHOD |) | |

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In an Office Action dated May 12, 2009, the period for response to which runs through June 12, 2009, the Examiner required election under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between the claims of Group I (claims 1-11) allegedly drawn to “the hologram product made,” Group II (claims 13-16) allegedly drawn to “the holographic apparatus,” and Group III (claims 21-27) allegedly drawn to “the method for making a holographic element.”

Applicant hereby elects Group I (Claims 1-11) for examination.

Applicant respectfully requests formal examination of this application.

Applicant respectfully asserts that no additional fee is due in connection with the filing of this response. However, if there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge those fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

Respectfully submitted,

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